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Applicant #1, Name: DALLAS L CLOUATRE

Applicant #2, Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: (-) - Hydrolytic Acid for Controlling Inflammation

☒ Specification, Claims, and Abstract: Nr. of Sheets 13

☒ Declaration: Date Signed: July 2, 2003

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☒ **Request Under MPEP § 707.07(j):** The undersigned, a pro se applicant, respectfully requests that if the Examiner finds patentable subject matter disclosed in this application, but feels that Applicant's present claims are not entirely suitable, the Examiner draft one or more allowable claims for applicant.

Very respectfully,

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